

In the claims:

Claims 1-4 cancelled.

5. (currently amended) The driveway as recited in ~~Claim 1~~ claim 13, wherein the supporting bearing contains two band-shaped bearing elements (5, 6) arranged in parallel with each other.

6. (currently amended) The driveway as recited in ~~claim 313 or 5~~, wherein the module (1) is provided, on its underside, with a mounting rail (7) projecting from said underside, and first ends of the bearing elements (5, 6) rest against the mounting rail (7) and are detachably secured to same.

7. (currently amended) The driveway as recited in ~~claim 313 or 5~~, wherein the primary supporting framework is equipped, on its top side, with one of these projecting mounting rails (8a) and second ends of the bearing elements (5, 6) rest against the mounting rail (8a) and are detachably secured to same.

8. (previously presented) The driveway as recited in Claim 6, wherein spacers (15) are arranged between the mounting rails (7) and the bearing elements (5, 6).

9. (currently amended) The driveway as recited in ~~Claim 5–Claim~~
13, wherein the module (1) is supported, on the primary supporting framework
(2), at its ends pointing in the driving direction by two first fastening devices (4,
~~4a, 4b~~) each, the fastening devices being arranged such that they are separated
transversely to the driving direction and are configured in accordance with one of
the Claims ~~45~~ through 8.

10. (currently amended) The driveway as recited in Claim 9,
wherein the first fastening devices (4, ~~4a, 4b~~) perform their function as loose
bearings either parallel or transversely to the driving direction.

11. (currently amended) The driveway as recited in ~~Claim 1–one of~~
claims 13, 5, 8, 9 or 10, wherein mounting screws (9, 10; ~~24, 25; 28~~) are provided
for making the detachable connections.

12. (currently amended) The driveway as recited in ~~Claim 1–one of~~
claims 13, 5, 8, 9 or 10, wherein the modules (1) are also fixed to the primary
supporting framework (2) by means of at least one second fastening device (3)
each having the function of a fixed bearing, and the second fastening device (3)
contains a supporting bearing (14) detachably connected to at least the
underside of the module (1).

13. (new) A driveway for magnetically levitated vehicles, comprising a plurality of driveway modules (1) situated along a track, each of the driveway modules being fixed to a primary supporting framework (2) by means of at least one first fastening device (4) having a function of a movable bearing, wherein the first fastening device (4) contains a supporting bearing which is composed of steel and is connected with an underside of the module (1) and wherein the supporting bearing contains at least one band-shaped bearing element (5, 6) being composed of spring steel and being detachably connected to the module (1).

14. (new) A driveway for magnetically levitated vehicles, comprising a plurality of driveway modules (1) situated along a track, each of the driveway modules being fixed to a primary supporting framework (2) by means of at least one fastening device (4, 4a, 4b) having the function of a movable bearing, whereby the first fastening device (4, 4a, 4b) contains a supporting bearing which is composed of steel and is connected with the underside of the module (1), wherein the supporting bearing is made of spring steel and is detachably connected to the module (1), wherein the supporting bearing contains at least one rod-shaped bearing element (18), wherein the supporting bearing contains at least one band-shaped bearing element (5, 6; 19), wherein the module (1) is provided, on its underside, with a mounting rail (7) projecting from

said underside, and first ends of the bearing elements (5, 6) rest against the mounting rail (7) and are detachably secured to same.

15. (new) A driveway for magnetically levitated vehicles, comprising a plurality of driveway modules (1) situated along a track, each of the driveway modules being fixed to a primary supporting framework (2) by means of at least one fastening device (4, 4a, 4b) having the function of a movable bearing, whereby the first fastening device (4, 4a, 4b) contains a supporting bearing which is composed of steel and is connected with the underside of the module (1), wherein the supporting bearing is made of spring steel and is detachably connected to the module (1), wherein the supporting bearing contains at least one rod-shaped bearing element (18), wherein the supporting bearing contains at least one band-shaped bearing element (5, 6; 19), wherein the primary supporting framework is equipped, on its top side, with one of these projecting mounting rails (8a) and second ends of the bearing elements (5, 6) rest against the mounting rail (8a) and are detachably secured to same.

16. The driveway as recited in Claim 14, wherein spacers (15) are arranged between the mounting rails (7) and the bearing elements (5, 6).